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FOR EA/J AND AID/AA/ASIA

FOR DELIVERY TO AID ADMINISTRATOR FOR ASIA SULLIVAN
AT OPENING OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 30

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: AIDAC
SUBJECT: GOVERNOR GILLIGAN'S DECEMBER 30 PRESS CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 309620

1. IF PARA. 3 REFTEL CORRECTLY REFLECTS TIME OF WHAT GOV. GILLIGAN INTENDS TELL PRESS ABOUT PURPOSES OF HIS VISIT TO JAPAN, EMBASSY FEARS IT COULD ADVERSLY AFFECT PUBLIC RESPONSE IN JAPAN TO LAUDABLE AIMS DESCRIBED IN PARA. 4.

2. THE PROBLEM HERE IS TO ENLIST SUPPORT FROM THE SEVERAL SECTORS OF GOJ WHO ARE LUKEWARM ABOUT JAPANESE AID STRATEGY. A FRONTAL PUBLIC TELEGRAPHING OF OUR OBJECTIVES TO THEM BEFORE THE GOVERNOR ARRIVES WILL STIFFEN THEIR NEGATIVE ATTITUDES.

3. WE SUGGEST HIS AIM WILL BE BETTER ACCOMPLISHED BY DESCRIBING PURPOSE TO PRESS IN LESS HORTATORY LANGUAGE, STRESSING INTEREST IN COOPERATION AND COORDINATION OF RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES' POLICIES.
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4. SUGGEST SULLIVAN PHONE BUTTON, 473-1088 IF FURTHER CLARIFICATION NEEDED.
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